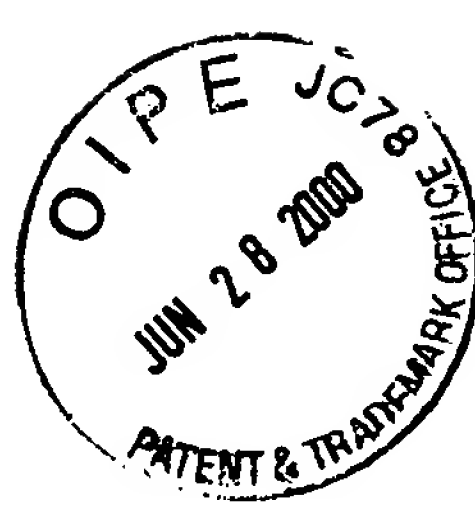


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Application No.: 09/349,473
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Group Art Unit: 2853

Date: June 28, 2000

For: INK-JET APPARATUS EMPLOYING
INK-JET HEAD HAVING A PLURALITY
OF INK EJECTION HEATERS
CORRESPONDING TO EACH INK
INK EJECTION OPENING

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 6 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | x \$9 \$18 | 0.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 3 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | x \$39 \$78 | 0.00 |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$130°/\$260 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT-- | | | | | | 0.00 |

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- ☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 CFR 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$870.00 to cover the fee for a three month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

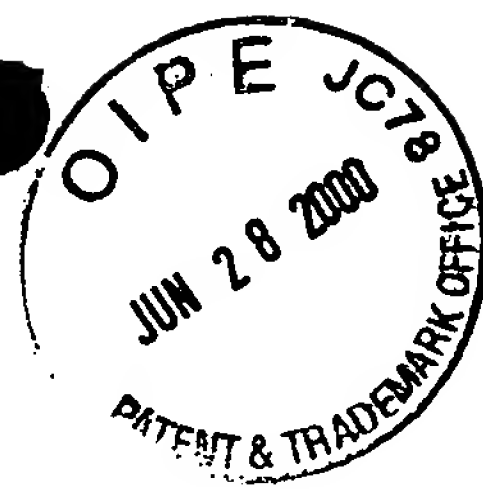

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 28, 1999, for three months from March 28, 2000, to June 28, 2000. A check in the amount of \$870.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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